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Stop ...

Think Before You Click!

October 1st marks the first day and the start of **National Cyber Security Awareness Month**, a national campaign to encourage everyone to protect their computers and our nation's critical cyber infrastructure.

This year's theme is **shared responsibility for cyber security**. With the increasing use of technology in government, educational institutions, businesses, and homes, we must be aware that our individual actions have a collective impact on cyber security and protecting the Internet. In 2009 alone the FBI reported that approximately \$560 million was lost in fraudulent activity conducted on the Internet.

ITA is supporting this endeavor by providing Cyber Security Awareness presentations and weekly email bulletins in order to educate users on how to stay safe online. Topics will include: social networking, mobile safety and safecomputing use at home for you and your family.

You can do your part by learning safe computing practices and understanding the risks associated with surfing the web. Everyone associated with the DoD is a potential target. Please take the time to read the awareness bulletins and attend an awareness presentation. For more information on Cyber Security, visit <http://www.staysafeonline.org/ncsam>

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Creating Connections

